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For:	METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR FORMING A TUNNEL THROUGH A PROXIMAL END OF A TIBIA	) ) )
Examiner:	James L. Swiger III	) )

## AMENDMENT "A" AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office action of October 10, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.